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Docket No. 32766-00011USP1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of:)
Jacob Thomas et al.)
Serial No.: 09/976,573 ✓) Examiner: Donald E. McElheny Jr.)
Confirmation No.: 2700)
Filed: October 12, 2001) Group Art Unit: 2862)

For: A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR REAL TIME RESERVOIR MANAGEMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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on: April 14, 2003	
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sir:

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the transmitted herewith attachments of the same date and subject which are incorporated hereunto by reference. The signature below is to be treated as the signature to the attachments in absence of a signature thereto.

Transmitted herewith in the above-identified application are:

1. Amendment Transmittal Letter;
2. Amendment in Response to Office Action with Exhibits A and B;
3. Terminal Disclaimer in accordance with 37 CFR 1.321(c);
4. Check in the amount of \$110.00 in payment of Terminal Disclaimer Fee; and
5. Acknowledgment Postcard.

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_____ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

_____ A verified statement claiming small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

_____ No additional fee is required.

_____ The Fee for entering the attached Amendment is calculated below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	LARGE ENTITY RATE
TOTAL CLAIMS	_____ - _____	_____ = _____ (at least 20)	_____ = _____ (at least 0)	x9 = <u>OR</u>	x18 = \$ _____
INDEP. CLAIMS	_____ - _____	_____ = _____ (at least 3)	_____ = _____ (at least 0)	x42 = <u>OR</u>	x84 = \$ _____
FIRST PRESENTATION OF <u>PROPER</u> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (leave blank if this is a <u>reissue</u> appln)				+140 = <u>OR</u>	+280 = \$ _____
FEE FOR CLAIM AMENDMENTS					\$ _____
_____ IDS ATTACHED REQUIRES OFFICIAL FEE - ADD \$180 (RULE 1.97(c)) PETITION)					\$ _____
_____ Assignment Recordation Fee (\$40)					\$ _____
<u>X</u> IF <u>TERMINAL DISCLAIMER</u> attached add Rule 20(d) Official Fee				\$55 (Small Entity)	\$110 (Large Entity) \$110.00

Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached:

	Small Entity	Large Entity
One Month	_____ \$55	_____ \$110
Two Months	_____ \$205	_____ \$410
Three Months	_____ \$465	_____ \$930
Four Months	_____ \$725	_____ \$1450
ADDITIONAL FEE FOR EXTENDED RESPONSE		\$ _____

Applicant has not been notified that the requested extension will not be permitted. The present application is not involved in an interference declared pursuant to 37 CFR 1.611.

TOTAL FEES \$110.00

X A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the TOTAL FEE is attached. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 10-0447.

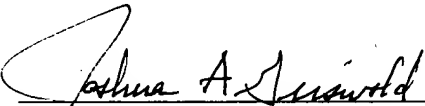
_____ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 10-0447 in the amount of \$_____ to cover the TOTAL FEE. This sheet is attached in duplicate.

CHARGE STATEMENT: If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any missing or insufficient fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and may be required under 37 CFR 1.16-1.18 (missing or insufficiencies only) now or hereafter relative to this application and for the resulting Official Document under 37 CFR 1.20, OR credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 10-0447, for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal form is filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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